

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 2146  
**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: A DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING NETWORK EQUIPMENT  
MANAGEMENT DATA, FOR A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK MANAGEMENT  
SYSTEM

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 9, 2008, please consider the remarks as  
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